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MIDDLETOWN, DELAWARE, SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 20, 1905.

PRICE THREE CENTS

GET YOUR MONEY'S WORTH

YOU WILL IF YOU DEAL WITH US...

THIS WEEK'S CASH SPECIALS:

Good Stewing Beef, -	5c lb
3 lbs Good Steak, for -	25c
Dry Salt Pork, - - -	8c lb
Flour, - - - - -	21c bag
Pic-Nic Hams, - - -	9c lb

THE CORNER STORE

OCCUPIED BY

Leon de Valinger,
MIDDLETOWN, DELAWARE.

THE MIDDLETOWN

RESTAURANT AND SUPPLY COMPANY

Middle Room in the Opera House

First-Class Restaurant

Serve Steak, Ham, Eggs, Oysters, Coffee, Etc.

Confectioneries and Ice Cream

Ice Cream, wholesale and retail.

Oysters served in all styles

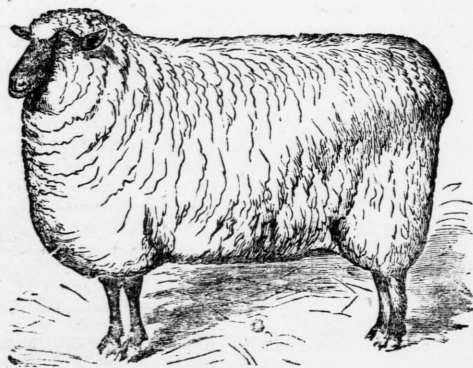
FRESH BREAD, ROLLS AND CAKES DAILY

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO BANQUETS.

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The Middletown Restaurant & Supply Co.
MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

Wool Wanted!



I am prepared to pay the Highest CASH Prices for good, dry, clean Wool, in any quantities, at Davis Bros. Warerooms, South Broad Street, Middletown. Call on Tuesday and Saturday of each week.

GEO. ECHENHOFER, AGT.

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AT

DEVALINGER'S CASH STORE,

TOWNSEND, DELAWARE.

PRICES IN MERCHANDISE FOR SATURDAY ONLY.

Pure Leaf Lard, . . .	8c lb
Pic-Nic Hams, . . .	8c lb
3 lbs Good Juicy Steak, . . .	25c
Best Carolina Head Rice, . . .	3c lb
Best New Prunes, . . .	5c lb
These are the regular 10c kind. Large, bright and juicy.	
Best Seeded Raisins, . . .	5c p'k'g
Men's Work Shoes, . . .	80c

STOP AND FIGURE UP JUST HOW MUCH YOU CAN SAVE HERE ON YOUR SATURDAY'S ORDER. IT WILL SURPRISE YOU TO KNOW JUST HOW MUCH YOU CAN SAVE AT

DEVALINGER'S CASH STORE, TOWNSEND, DEL.

S. E. MASSEY,

DEALER IN
WATCHES,
CLOCKS,
JEWELRY,
SILVERWARE.

Also a Large Stock of

Cut Glass

AND VARIOUS ARTICLES IN
GOLD AND SILVER FOR
WEDDING AND BIRTH-
DAY GIFTS.

Repairing and
Silversmithing
a Specialty.

We also handle the
WATERMAN'S IDEAL
FOUNTAIN PEN.

S. E. Massey,
Middletown,
Del.

TERMS STRICTLY CASH

Lumber and Coal

G. E. HUKILL

Middletown, Del.
White Pine, Yellow
Pine, Hemlock and
Cypress. All kinds

Building Lumber,

Shingles, Lath and

Pickets. Mill Work

of all kinds in stock

and to order. Build-

ing and Agricul-

tural Lime. Woven

Wire Fence, Wover

Picket Fence, Barb

Wire and Plair

Wire.

Best veins of

HARD AND SOFT COAL

Wilmington Conference Epworth League

Rev. Vaughan S. Collins, Secretary of

the Fourth General Conference District

League, has made arrangements to take

a personally-conducted party to the great

International Epworth League Convention,

to be held in Denver, Col., July 5-9.

Mr. Collins is well known to the Ep-

worthians of the peninsula, having served

as President of the Conference League, and

held the same office for several terms in

the Second and Sixth General Confer-

ence Districts.

The party will go via Pennsylvania

Railroad on a special Pullman train, leav-

ing Broad Street Station July 3, 10:25

A. M., and arrive Denver 12:30 P. M.,

July 5.

This will be the ONLY WILMINGTON

CONFERENCE party, as that planned by Rev.

R. K. Stephenson has been merged with

this, and Rev. and Mrs. Stephenson will

be members of Mr. Collins' party.

ITEMS OF INTEREST OF EVERYONE

Short Pungent Paragraphs Gathered Here

and There

California shipped its first cherries of

the season eastward on April 7th.

Cape Colony has borrowed \$1,775,000

for railway works, local improvements,

etc.

A car off the track is absolutely help-

less. Many people are like a car off the

track.

The back yard should be kept as clean

and tidy as the lawn in front of your resi-

dence.

He who can take no interest in what is

small, will take false interest in what is

great.

Thirst for knowledge and the delight of

overcoming difficulties are the true moti-

ves for study.

Mr. Bigelow is clearly entitled to the

distinction of being the banker who made

Milwaukee famous.

Just remember, if you please, that

often than occasionally fools rush in

and win—where angels fear to tread.

The cost of living, according to an

official bulletin, has increased 200 per cent.

in Guam since the American occupation.

The Garden of Eden from the top of

the apple tree wasn't a marker to the

garden of millinery as seen from the pul-

pit.

What are the rich in America doing to-

day? asks the Boston Globe. We do not

think it necessary to reveal our plans.

According to Santos Dumont, air yachts

will soon become the fashion. "Castles

in the air" may yet lose its significance.

The secret of many a man's success in

the world resides in his insight into the

moods of men, and his tact in dealing

with them.

An ordinance has been sent to the

council in Chicago to fine the landlords

\$15 to \$100 who bar children from living

in their flats.

Confidence is great. But it is well to re-

member that it is better to have too little

confidence in yourself than to have too

much in others.

In the calendar year 1904 the importa-

tions of rice into the United States

amounted to 137,000,000 pounds as against

178,000,000 in 1903.

Every one has his vanity card to play.

The preacher gets a man into the fold by

telling him of the "great influence" he has

upon others.

Do not send away for a wife or husband

—in other words do not patronize matri-

monial bureaus. The Chicago police have

closed up 64 of these places for loveless

men and women who cannot be suited

with the homegrown stock.

In Japan the morning salutation,

"Oheyo!" is pronounced exactly the same

as the name of the State, Ohio. In Japan

it means "Good morning."

"How shall the masses be reached?"

asks Secretary Shaw. We can assure the

Secretary that there is no better way than

through the advertising columns of this

paper.

Including all hands from the pretty

"hello girls" to brawny "ground men" it

takes 60,000 people to keep the telephones,

local and long distance, in the United

States working.

Some men wish they had a million dol-

lars. What for? They cannot take care

of what they now have. It is not the

amount of money we have that counts,

but what we do with it.

Do not tell everything you know or you

will soon be without friends. If some

men knew enough to conceal about two-

thirds of what they know they would find

that they would be more popular.

There is much talk of the advantages

for education that the children nowadays

have over the children of a generation ago.

But it should not be forgotten that the lat-

ter had the benefits of Webster's spelling

book and McGuffey's readers.

Dewey's birthplace, which was valued

at \$10,000 a few years ago, is now

regarded as being worth less than the

mortgage of \$2,500 that some body has on

it. The public can lose a lot of interest

in a hero in the course of six or seven

years.

Some one has figured out that in the

raising of a forty acre field of corn in the

old way prevalent forty years ago a man

walked 350 miles to plow the field, 50

miles to harrow it, 50 miles to cultivate it

and 150 miles to husk it, while now there

is no walking at all.

An old criminal once asked what was

the first step that led him to ruin and he

said: "The first thing that led to my

downfall was cheating an editor out of two

years' subscription. When I had done

that the devil had such a grip on me that

I could not shake him off."

The new Panama Canal Commission is

getting down to business and proposes to

begin "rush work." It was concluded

the other day to purchase a number of

modern powerful locomotives for carrying

off the dirt excavated in the digging of

the big cuts. These locomotives are to be

three times the hauling capacity of the

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Trains Leave Middletown as Follows:

North Bound—7:30, 7:45, 8:22 and 10:21 a. m.; 1:35, 4:17 and 5:25 p. m.
South Bound—7:30, 8:31, 9:19 and 11:38 a. m.; 4:31, 5:41 and 7:45 p. m.
Matters close as follows:
Going South—7:30 a. m., 10:55 a. m., 3:50 p. m., 6:45 p. m. and 9 p. m.
Going North—8:00 a. m., 4:10 p. m., and 9 p. m.
For Ocean—7:30 a. m., 3:50 p. m., 11:30 a. m., 4:40 p. m.
For Warwick, Cecilton and Marlville 8:30 a. m. and 4:45 p. m.

MIDDLETOWN, DEL., MAY 30, 1905.

Local News.

Bananas 12 cents per dozen at MONTGOMERY'S.

Deviled Crabs, at Middletown Restaurant & Supply Co.
Dr. W. E. Barnard, Dentist, Offices and residence adjoining the post office.

Deviled Crabs, at Middletown Restaurant & Supply Co.
Leave your laundry at Jones' barber shop. The best of work and prompt service.

Have your teeth examined free by Dr. J. Allen Johnson, Middletown. Oxygen and Gas used for painless operations.

Little Neck Cakes at THE MIDDLETOWN RESTAURANT & SUPPLY CO.

HORSE SHOEING.—Plain, 75 cents cash. Satisfaction guaranteed.

J. C. GREEN.
Genuine Pekin Duck eggs, 50 cents per setting of 11. Address P. O. Box 346, Middletown, Del.

Teams to hire and parties driven to all near by towns. TUCKER, BOWLEY, Lockwood Street.

FOR SALE—York Carriage, used only a few times; also set of harness. Easy terms. Apply to THIS OFFICE.

We have many bargains in store for you during our special sale.

Mrs. G. W. PETERSON.
After June 1st the library hours will be as follows: Tuesdays from 7 to 8:30 P. M.; Saturdays from 3 to 5, and 7 to 8:30 P. M.

Deviled Crabs, at Middletown Restaurant & Supply Co.

We will publish our price list in THE TRANSCRIPT next week. Watch for it.

Mrs. G. W. PETERSON.
Vanilla, Chocolate, Strawberry, Bisque and Pineapple Creams. These flavors are made from real fruit. MONTGOMERY.

FOR SALE.—100,000 Sweet Potato Plants, now ready to pull. E. R. MARKER, "Gillpin Farm," near Old St. Anne's Church.

Fruit growers report the prospects for early apples very poor. The outlook for cherries and Keiffer pears is considered very good.

We hear of several new concrete pavements to be laid in our town during the next few months, which will add greatly to the appearance of the town.

FOR SALE.—A very fine farm of three hundred acres on Bohemia River, near Cecilton. GEORGE L. TOWNSEND, JR., 1015 Market Street, Wilmington, Del.

If you are going to get a Refrigerator or Ice Box call on us and see our large line before you place your order.

J. F. McWHORTER & SON.
From June 1st to 6th we will offer the greatest bargains at our store ever put before the public. Don't miss this sale.

Mrs. G. W. PETERSON.
FOR RENT.—Stable on West Main street. Possession given immediately. Apply to THIS OFFICE.

Laundry collected Monday, delivered Thursday. Also clothing cleaned, pressed and dyed. D. C. PLEASANTON, Corner Cass and Main Streets.

The first local strawberries of the season were brought to Middletown yesterday by a farmer from Blackbird hundred. They were of fair size and good flavor and sold readily at 18 cents.

RHODE ISLAND RED EGGS FOR SALE.—Selected from my best pen at \$1.50 per setting of 15, or \$5.50 per 100. Pen No. 2, \$1.00 per setting, or \$4.00 per 100. C. C. COCHRAN, Middletown, Del.

A 3-Burner "Insurance" Gasoline Stove with Russia Iron Oven, entirely new—in perfect condition. A \$19.00 Stove at \$16.00, for quick cash sale.

G. E. HUKILL.
Mrs. James A. Bragley and Mrs. Frank Lykens held two of the lucky numbers in the cash prize contest advertised by Mrs. G. W. Peterson in THE MIDDLETOWN TRANSCRIPT for the month of May.

Unclaimed Letters.—The following list of letters remains unclaimed in the post office for the week ending May 11th: Mrs. Emma Black, Miss Laura E. Davidson, 2; Miss Adeline Jones and James Peterson.

The Rt. Rev. William F. Adams, D. D., Bishop of Eastern, is expected to visit St. Anne's Church to-morrow evening, to preach and administer the rite of Confirmation. Service at 7:30. All are cordially invited.

"THE HEN THAT SCRATCHES LAYS THE EGG THAT HATCHES."—\$1.00 for 15 Rhode Island Reds, White, Buff and Barred Rocks, White Wyandottes, S. C. White and Black Leghorns. T. R. BRADSHAW, Odessa, Del.

FOR SALE.—100,000 Sweet Potato Plants. Orders left at the grocery store of Niece & Cooke, Middletown, Delaware, will receive prompt attention. C. W. FLINTHAM, residence, Sandy Branch, Md., post office, Middletown, Del.

PLANTS FOR SALE.—Persons wanting early cabbage and tomato plants will leave their order with Mrs. S. M. Satterfield on North Broad street, plants will be kept on hand. E. J. STEELE, Florist, Henderson, Md.

EGGS FOR HATCHING.—Single Comb Brown Leghorns seventy five cents per setting of 15 from my great laying strain. Send for circular and prices by the hundred. T. E. CLAYTON, Mt. Pleasant, Del.

At the Epworth League Convention to be held in Bethesda M. E. Church, on Wednesday next, addresses will be made by Rev. Robert Watt, D. D., of Smyrna, and Rev. A. W. Lightbourne, Ph. D. The program will be a lengthy one and the attendance promises to be large.

For the next 30 days we will sell woven wire picket fencing at 5c per running foot. In orders for 500 feet or over 40c per foot. This is No. 1 fencing, every picket is cedar and of an inch thick. Galvanized iron roofing, No. 26 gauge, 3 1/2c per square foot. Wire or cut nails \$2.25 per keg; also woven wire fencing, barb wire and chicken netting at reduced prices. J. F. McWHORTER & SON.

Mr. C. Malcolm Cochran was showing a fine stock of asparagus to his friends on Saturday evening. It measured 4 inches in circumference and was 14 inches long, and was cut from the "Beech Wood Farm," near town.

We are indebted to Mr. R. A. Cochran for a fine bunch of asparagus, which was left at our office on Saturday last week. Mr. Cochran is one of the veteran growers of asparagus in this community, and takes great pride in its cultivation. The bunch left at our office contained 13 stalks, and weighed three pounds and eight ounces.

The Delaware Workman, the official organ of the Grand Lodge of Delaware, A. O. U. W., which for seven years past has been edited and published in Dover by J. Milton Davidson, will hereafter be published from New Castle, by Joseph H. Martin. The Workman will be printed by the job department of the Sunday Star of Wilmington.

If you will clip the coupons which will appear in our ad. during the month of May and bring them to our store between the 1st and 6th of June, you will receive a cash prize. If you purchase \$1.00 worth of merchandise you will have a chance of securing one of our cash prizes, ranging from 5 cents to \$5.00.

Mrs. G. W. PETERSON.
This community was visited by one of the heaviest rain storms last Sunday night which we have had, for several years. Rain fell in sheets and it is estimated that more water fell in the short time that it rained than has been the case for many a year. The storm was accompanied by heavy thunder and lightning. The rain was needed, as vegetation was suffering as a result of the drought, and it will undoubtedly be the making of a good strawberry crop as well as a great help to wheat and corn.

The authorities at Washington have issued some new regulations worth having in mind in regard to persons taking mail out of the postoffice other than their own. As all postmasters are liable to make mistakes in getting mail matter in wrong boxes, this new regulation requires people to examine their mail before leaving the office and should they find a piece not addressed to them they must return it at once or be liable to a fine of \$200. That it is the fault of the postmaster makes no difference. The too common practice of opening such letters and then writing on the envelope "opened by mistake" and dropping them back into the postoffice won't go any longer.

A man stopped us on the street the other day and said we did not publish all the things that happened. We should say we don't. In the first place, there's somebody else depending on us for a living. If we published all that happened we would soon be with the angels. In order to please the people we must print only the nice things said of them and leave the rest to gossip. Yes, it's a fact, we don't print all the news. If we did wouldn't it make spicy reading? But it would be for one day only. The next day you would read our obituary, and there would be a new face in heaven. "All the news" is all right when it's about the other fellow.

Did you ever count the words in a column of ordinary newspaper print? There are about two thousand words in a column. Suppose you sit down and write a thousand words on some subject, and then another thousand on another until you have written eight or ten thousand. Try it and see if it is right easy. Keep that gait up for a month. Then chase a local item all over town, and after you have gotten the facts all right, condense them in a few lines—an hour's work that can be read in a few seconds. Do this for a dozen items that seem insignificant when they are printed, but which you know are important; then have the items criticized and inaccuracies pointed out to you when it is too late to correct them. Oh, yes, it is easy.

One of the most interesting features of the closing exercises of the Middletown Grammar School, (colored) Wednesday evening, May 24th, will be the debate, "Resolved, the World is Growing Better." Prof. J. Tennyson Copper, of Chicago, Ill., a skilled musician, is expected to be present. Dr. F. H. Moore, pastor of Forest Presbyterian Church, and Rev. W. E. Waters, pastor of Dale's M. E. Church, will judge the debate. Messrs. J. B. Messick, S. M. Rosenberg, J. B. Ford, G. D. Kelley, J. H. Emerson, Frederick Brady, S. Bursan, J. Berkman, Niece & Cooke, George W. Ingram, Dr. G. Burton Pearson and Geo. F. Lee have contributed prizes to be presented to several deserving pupils.

CHURCH NOTES
Bethesda Epworth League meets in the lecture room of the M. E. Church every Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend. The topic for to-morrow evening is: "Growing up for God." Leader, Miss May E. Kumpel.

The Children's Day exercises will be held by the Sunday School of the Forest Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening, May 28th. The children will rehearse at 7 o'clock this (Saturday) evening.

The annual reunion of the friends of Old Drovers' Church will be held on Sunday, June 4th. The Rev. H. L. Bustin will preach the sermon at the morning service.

The Young Peoples Society of Christian Endeavor of Forest Presbyterian Church, meets every Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody. The topic for to-morrow evening is: "Growing up for God." Eph. 4:1-16. Leader, Mrs. S. E. Lewis.

To-morrow morning the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Bethesda M. E. Church will hold their annual Thank Offering service. An interest program has been prepared. Rev. A. W. Lightbourne will make the address. Mrs. Lightbourne will render a selection of music, also the choir will give special music. Everyone is invited to attend.

REDUCED RATES TO PACIFIC COAST
On account of the Lewis and Clark Exposition, at Portland, Ore., June 1st to October 15th, and various conventions to be held in cities on the Pacific Coast during the summer, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets on specified dates, from all stations on its lines, to San Francisco and Los Angeles, April 9th to September 27th; to Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, Victoria, Vancouver, and San Diego, May 22nd to September 27th, at greatly reduced rates.

For dates of sale and specific information concerning rates and routes, consult nearest ticket agent.

FARMERS' ATTENTION
We are now prepared to fill all orders for High Grade Fertilizers for Spring Planting. Also Seed Oats from our warehouse, Middletown, Del.

Jesse L. SHEPHERD.

PERSONALITIES

Mrs. G. B. Rowe is the guest of her son in New York.

Mrs. James Reedy, of Milford, has been visiting Miss Mary Hutchins.

Mrs. Adam Reed and two children are visiting her parents near Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. Kate Jacobs, of Bridgeville, is the guest of Mrs. H. M. Jones on Lake street.

Mr. John McGuire and Miss Bertha Byron spent Wednesday in Wilmington.

Mrs. T. S. Fournace and little son spent Thursday in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Mr. William Green, of New York, has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. E. C. Green.

Mrs. Daniel P. Keith, of Hartley, spent several days this week with Mrs. James A. Bradley.

Mrs. and Mr. W. Reese Parker and little son Alden visited her parents in Dover last Sunday.

Mr. Stanley Arthur, of Philadelphia, was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. M. B. Burris, over Sunday.

Mr. Amos Cooke has accepted a position in Washington, D. C., and left for that place last Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Adams, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. John A. Jolls.

Mrs. S. M. Rosenberg and two children are on a month's visit with her parents in Franklin Falls, N. Y.

Mr. Herman Wilson, of Philadelphia, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wilson, over Sunday.

Mrs. A. M. Brown returned to her home in Cambridge, Mass., on Wednesday, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. G. Taylor and little daughter.

Misses Elizabeth Hopkins and Hattie Cullen and Messrs. Arthur Evans and Oscar Whitlock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl A. Goldsborough, near Smyrna, on Sunday afternoon.

Postmaster John W. Jolls will leave Tuesday morning for Providence, R. I., where he will spend two weeks. While away he will visit Boston and take part in the reunion of the Grand Comrade of Massachusetts and R. I. Knights of Templar.

CECILTON

Mrs. S. W. Lusby has been visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Emma Vinyard, of Warwick, spent a few days with Miss Edna Stephens.

Quite a number from here attended the dance at Odessa on Monday evening.

Misses Mollie and Arrie McCoy, of Elkton, spent a few days with relatives in town.

Mrs. Davis and daughter, Miss Nan, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mrs. John Stephens.

Miss Eddie Ferguson has returned home after spending sometime in Chesapeake City.

Miss Mamie Pierce has been spending a few days with Miss Hettie Carpenter, near Odessa.

Miss Mary Anderson, of Still Pond, spent a few days with her parents, Robert Anderson and wife.

John Stephens and wife have been entertaining quite a number of relatives and friends from Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pierce and daughter, Miss Mamie, were the guests of his brother, Allie Pierce and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens tendered their daughter, Miss Edna, an eighteenth birthday anniversary on Saturday evening last. The large piazza at the front of the house was decorated by friends from Wilmington, which showed excellent taste.

The interior decorations which were white and green (emblem of May) were worthy of all comments. Mrs. Edward Kernshaw of Wilmington, rendered several fine instrumental selections, and by request Mrs. Corbit Vinyard of Middletown, favored the company with two vocal solos, which were appreciated by all present. Mr. M. L. Vinyard entertained them for a short time in his easy-going way. One of his songs "But not till that bull dog dies" was enjoyed many times. At a reasonable hour they were invited to the dining-room, where refreshments consisting of ice cream, water ices, cakes, bananas, oranges and candy were served in abundance. Miss Stephens was the recipient of many handsome and useful gifts, which were appreciated by her.

The guests present were: Misses Frances Griffith, Myrtle Templeman, Edith Alderson, May Smith, Hygie Boulden, Mary Dawson, Anna Alderson, Sadie Cannon, Ella Cannon, Lillie Short, Belle Price, Nellie Brockman, Anna Price, Mable Allen, Iowan Benson and Messrs. Owen Griffith, Eugene Dawson, George Pierce, J. Price, Elwood Padley, P. Smith, John Freeman, Thomas Boulden, Ollie Clark, Samuel Dulaney, George Boyles, Howard Benson, W. Allen, of Cecilton; Miss Grace Vinyard, Odessa; Misses Bessie Bishop, Emma and Ethel Vinyard, Messrs. Bayard Vinyard, Amos Merritt and William Lofland, of Warwick; Miss Lena Buckworth, Messrs. Samuel Buckworth and Walter Neff, of Middleneck; Messrs. George Jones and Harry Brown, of Chesterdown, and many others. All expressed themselves as having had a delightful time and left for their homes wishing Miss Edna many happy returns of the day.

CLUB WOMEN IN SESSION

MILFORD, DEL., May 18th.—Club women from all parts of Delaware gathered here to-day in attendance upon the eighth annual State Federation of Women's Clubs, which opened a two-days session here, upon invitation of the Milford New Century Club. Every woman's club in the state is entitled to two delegates, and every club is represented. The presiding officer is Mrs. R. G. Houston, President of the State Federation.

The town of Milford presented a gala appearance for the welcoming of the club women. Streamers of bunting and hosts of flags adorned the club house, Armory Hall, and the Central Hotel, the headquarters of the visitors, while every train into Milford was crowded with the handsomely-dressed club women.

The New Century Club of this town was represented by Mrs. J. C. Stiles and Miss Dora Price.

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FIFTEENTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

A Pleasing Celebration by Mr. and Mrs. John R. Butler

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Butler of Summit Bridge celebrated the 15th anniversary of their marriage last Friday evening. Many handsome and useful gifts were received and refreshments were served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Dean and Misses Emma and Rebecca Brown of Chesapeake City, Md., Miss Bessie Walker of Odessa, Miss Mary Massey of Red Lion, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Griffenbury and son Ray, Miss Sarah B. Brown, Mrs. Sarah V. Vandegrift, Mr. and Mrs. William Science, Miss Ella McCuskey, Mrs. Katherine McCuskey, Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews, Gaylord Golt, Mrs. Walter Dickinson and Miss Myrtle, Miss Nevada Alrich, Miss Rena Bender, Miss Bessie Bigger, Miss Ruth Alrich, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Salmon, C. H. Salmon, Jr., Millard Golt, Miss Myrtle Golt, Miss Beulah Neville, William Bender, Mrs. Elizabeth Swan, Miss Nellie Rhoades, Arthur McCuskey, Jr., Leslie Carnegie, Mrs. Susie Carnegie, W. T. Golt, Mr. and Mrs. John Neville, Marie and Edward Neville, Jacob Rhoades, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crompton of Summit Bridge, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cleaver, Miss Marie J. Carnegie, Miss Laura Conway, W. C. L. Carnegie, Miss Belle Carnegie of Kirkwood; Mr. and Mrs. George D. Crossland, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. R. Crossland, Miss Nellie Crossland, Walter Moore, Miss Josephine Crossland, Richard Moore, Miss Bessie Phillips, I. H. Crossland, Miss Ruth McClay, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Crossland and daughter, Miss Nellie of St. Georges; Miss Lillie C. Davis of Townsend; Edward Science of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirk, Rev. and Mrs. William P. Taylor, William Taylor, Jr., of Plover, Md.; Mrs. Charles M. E. Ernest, Mrs. J. C. Gropp and son, Master Valentine, Miss Bertha M. Ernest, Herbert McClay of Wilmington; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Boulden and children, Miss Etta, Master Layton, of Elkton, Md.; J. M. Downes, Sewell C. Downes, Miss Lou Cunningham, Miss Mae Deputy, Mrs. Walter Deputy, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cleaver, Mr. and Mrs. William Holten, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Thornton of Mt. Pleasant; Miss Elizabeth Cavender, Mrs. Joseph Cavender, Noble Cavender, Miss Flora Cavender, Elijah Bender and children of Glasgow; Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Kemetz, Joseph Kemetz, of Iron Hill, Md.; Mrs. C. S. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crossland, Jr., of Porter.

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